

REMARKS

Applicant notes with appreciation the indicated allowability of the claims of the instant application. Submitted herewith is a Supplemental IDS reflecting two recently discovered references. The reference materials were discovered during the course of discovery in litigation. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner review the references cited in the Supplemental IDS. Claim 1 has been amended to correct a typographical error. The Amendment is not made for the purposes of patentability.

A terminal disclaimer has been provided herewith. A discussion was had with the Examiner on October 5, 2005 regarding the requirement for a terminal disclaimer in two related cases. In accordance with the Examiners explanation and request, a terminal disclaimer is being provided in both this application and in the parent application, application serial no. 10/604,283.

The claims are now in a condition for allowance and all formalities have been complied with. It is respectfully requested that this application be passed to issuance.

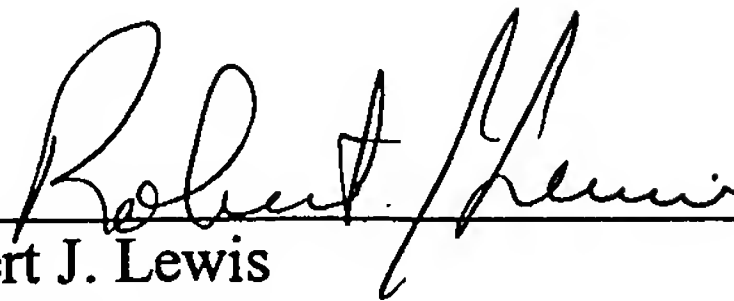
If any issue regarding the allowability of any of the pending claims in the present application could be readily resolved, or if other action could be taken to further advance this application such as an Examiner's amendment, or if the Examiner should have any questions regarding the present amendment, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner please telephone Applicant's undersigned attorney in this regard.

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Amendment A

Respectfully submitted,

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